

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 404
By Cooper J

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Keri J. Britcher, 2003
Salutatorian of Tullahoma High School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Keri J. Britcher is one such exceptional student who was recently named Salutatorian of the 2003 graduating class at Tullahoma High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Keri has achieved outstanding academic success, and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in her remarkable high school career, she has earned an exemplary grade point average; and

WHEREAS, in addition to this stellar academic achievement, Keri has been involved in a number of activities throughout her high school career; she was a member of the Key Club and the newspaper ad staff, Editor of the literary magazine, and she participated in Freedom Friends, the Ronald McDonald dinner, and the Alzheimer's "Walk for a Cure"; and

WHEREAS, no stranger to accolades, she earned the National Merit Scholarship, and was the first place winner of the 2002 Jefferson and Madison Essay Contest; also, she earned membership in the National Honor Society, Mu Alpha Theta, and the Barrett-Browning Literary Society; and

WHEREAS, Keri's noteworthy accomplishments are a tremendous source of pride for her parents, Leslie and Kristine Britcher, her school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, her display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for her future success; she plans to study archaeology at the University of Evansville in Indiana; and

WHEREAS, Keri J. Britcher's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we hereby commend and honor 2003 Tullahoma High School Salutatorian, Keri J. Britcher, on her impressive academic achievement, and extend to her our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.